

## Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 1, 1910

## LOCAL MATTERS.

## Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:46 and sets at 6:23. High water at 12:41 a. m. and 1:05 p. m.

## Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and Saturday; light north to east winds.

## PERSONAL.

Mr. Joseph L. Cropper with his family has moved to Ballston to spend the spring and summer.

Mrs. B. O. Powell and Mrs. Lulu C. S. Scott have returned from Winslow, N. J., where they spent the past month.

Rev. J. P. Stump, formerly of this city, was operated upon last Friday for rheumatism at the Union Protestant Infirmary in Baltimore. The doctors removed part of his hip bone. The operation was a success. At the recent Methodist Conference Mr. Stump was placed on the superannuated list.

Miss Mary Duverson of Washington, was the guest of Mrs. Virginia Watkins during the past week.

Mrs. Charles B. Eddy of Plainfield, N. J., is visiting her mother, Mrs. John W. Burke, on Wilkes street.

Clinton Smartt has sold to Lillie E. Harris, lots 15, 16, 17 and 18, block 6, Park Addition to Alexandria.

Miss Susie Johnson and Mr. William Cornell were married yesterday afternoon by Rev. W. E. Luskoff, pastor of the Second Baptist Church.

After having been refused a marriage license at Rockville, Md., because they were not of legal age and because the father of the young man interposed an objection by telephone, Mr. Lawrence Wellington Rose, of this city, 19-year-old son of J. Wellington Rose, a Washington merchant, took Miss Jewel Welch, of Massillon, Ohio, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. Barrett, on north S. Asaph street, to Baltimore yesterday where they were married by Rev. David F. McNeely. They returned to Alexandria later in the day.

Mrs. Lewis Monroe and her two children are very sick at their home on Wolfe street.

Mr. J. B. Griffin left today to visit Harrisburg, York, Erie, Pittsburgh and Chicago, and will probably go into business in one of these cities.

## POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Coston presiding.] The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Thomas Johnson, Ophelia Johnson, Robert Smith and Maria Parker, all colored, charged with being drunk and disorderly, were dismissed, and Maria Orump, also colored, charged with similar offenses, was fined \$5.

Henry Sams, colored, charged with stealing clothes from Scott Butler, was committed to jail for 90 days.

Irene McDermott, charged with assaulting Walter Hayes, had her case continued.

James Reeves, colored, charged with the larceny of a bicycle in Washington, was turned over to the authorities of that city.

Brother Shelton and Leon O. Christofferson, arrested as suspicious characters, were held.

H. F. Davis, charged with passing bogus checks on Louis Brill and Irene McDermott, had his case continued.

## ROSEMOOT NOTES.

Mr. Thos. A. Graves, formerly of this city, but now of Washington, has purchased through F. L. Slaymaker, "The Rosemoot Man," one of the fine terraced lots on Rosemoot avenue, near the station, and will start at once building an attractive home.

With this sale there only remain four lots on the north side of Rosemoot avenue; unsold, and announcement is made that after April 15th, the remaining lots will be advanced in price \$100.

The Rosemoot Co. is making arrangements to have all the streets in Rosemoot treated with the most improved oil dust preventive.

STRUCK MAN WITH A VASE.

A man who gave his name as Walter Hayes, and who lives in Maryland, became disorderly in a north Lee street resort last night when Irene McDermott, the proprietress, struck him on the head with a vase. Officers Nicholson and Roland arrested the woman and the man, and upon reaching the station house the latter was given permission to go to a physician for treatment. The woman left collateral for her appearance in the Police Court this morning, and was present when the court convened. Hayes, however, could not be found, and the case was continued until tomorrow.

ALLEGED BOGUS CHECKS.

A resident of Prince William county visited this city yesterday, and, having depleted his exchequer, gave out two checks for small amounts, which, it is alleged, are bogus. A saloon-keeper accepted one of the checks and the other was accepted in a house on north Lee street. The man was later arrested by Chief Gools and Lieutenant Smith. His case will come before the Police Court tomorrow.

FINED FOR DISORDERLY CONDUCT.

Frank Carter, colored, was arrested this morning by Constable Payne and Deputy Constable Foley on the charge of disorderly conduct on an electric railway train last Saturday night. Carter was taken before Justice Wright at the Dyke when he pled guilty to the charge and was made to pay \$6.40 fine and costs.

## ALL FOOLS' DAY.

April dawned bright and crisp with no indications of adding its first ten days to the barren blasts of March. There is, however, no telling what a day will bring forth at this season, and cold waves are likely to come at any time without warning.

The practical joker is not as much in evidence now as in bygone years.

Putting bricks under slick hats and allowing them to slide around loose in the street is a custom which has long since been abandoned.

This is All-Fools' Day and many a practical joke has been played upon the unsuspecting.

Y. U. Wont be properly dressed for Easter if you haven't a pair of the New Fifty Styles of Fine Stylish Foot Covering, had only at 422 King street, J. A. Marshall & Bro.

## THE NEW POSTMASTER.

Mr. J. A. Eggborn, recently appointed postmaster of this city, assumed the duties of his position this morning with Mr. Donald L. Aitchison as his assistant. Both are well-known and popular citizens, and their many friends and acquaintances have today been tendering them their congratulations.

The transfer of the affairs of the office was without formality, the former postmaster, Mr. Thomas Burroughs, and Mr. J. E. Johnson, his assistant, together with mutual friends being present. The methodical and careful manner in which the affairs of the postoffice had been conducted rendered the transfer easy and brief, and the new management begins under auspicious conditions.

The new postmaster was the recipient of tokens of esteem in the shape of flowers from friends. The former and present postmasters with their assistants, and the best of feeling prevailed.

The ex-officials anticipated every want of the new postmaster and his assistant and explained everything concerning the business of the office in detail.

The salary of the postmaster is \$2,800 a year and that of the assistant \$1,400.

There were no other changes in the personnel of the attaches of the office. There are seven clerks and eight mail carriers, all of whom are under the civil service laws.

Mr. Eggborn has filed his bond of \$12,000, personal friends being on the same.

Mr. Eggborn will begin the eighteenth postmaster that Alexandria has had. Robert McCreas was postmaster from 1776 to 1793. He had been postal agent under the British government, and served until 1793, when General Washington appointed his son, James McCreas, to succeed him. He held office until 1801, when Mr. Jefferson appointed Dr. George W. Craik, the son of Washington's physician. He served until January 1, 1809, when he was succeeded by Col. George Gilpin, who, with Thomas P. Gilpin, served until June 16, 1814, when President Madison appointed Josiah Watson who served until 1821. President Monroe appointed, April 1, 1821, Mr. Daniel Bryan, who served through the administrations of Monroe, Quincy Adams, Jackson, Van Buren, Harrison, Tyler, Polk, Taylor and Fillmore. He was succeeded by Col. T. W. Ashby, who had been lieutenant in the company of Alexandria volunteers which served under General Taylor in Mexico. At the opening of the war Col. Ashby went south, and President Lincoln appointed Mr. Wm. D. Massey, who had been mayor and a member of the general assembly. He was succeeded in 1870 by Nicholas P. Triet, who had been assistant secretary of state, and had negotiated the treaty of peace with Mexico. At his death in 1874 General Grant appointed Mr. Wm. N. Berkley, a dry goods merchant, who had also served as mayor of Alexandria. Mr. Lewis McKeezie was the next postmaster, having been appointed by President Hayes. He was succeeded by Mr. D. A. Windsor, who was appointed by President Arthur, and entered upon the duties of his office August 24, 1882, serving until the end of President Arthur's administration, when President Cleveland appointed Mr. Wm. W. Herbert, of this city, who, soon after the opening of Gen. Harrison's administration, gave place to Mr. Park Agnew. His successor was Mr. C. O. Carlin, who was appointed by President Cleveland in April, 1884. Mr. Joe L. Crupper was appointed by President McKinley in 1898 and after eight years service was succeeded by Mr. Thomas Burroughs, who was appointed by President Roosevelt in March, 1906. Now Mr. Burroughs is succeeded by Mr. Eggborn.

TO BRING ITALIAN BOYS TO ALEXANDRIA.

Reference was made yesterday to the inconvenience experienced by the glass factories in this city on account of the refusal at times of the boy helpers to work, when half a hundred youngsters gathered on the common adjacent to the glass works and attempted to imitate their elders by intercepting other boys who had no issue with the proprietors of the works. The latter have determined to bring Italian boys from other cities to Alexandria for the purpose of installing them in the positions vacated by the youths of this city.

THE OPERA HOUSE.

Alexandria's old and young, alike can again visit the Opera House and witness vaudeville of the highest procurable talent and the latest and best moving pictures shown anywhere in the country. This popular place of amusement has been remodeled and amply lighted by the present management.

It is believed that the young men now managing the Opera House will do business on a business basis and that they will give to their patrons all they promise.

PROPERTY SALES.

Dr. G. T. Klipstein has sold to Mr. Clarence Sampson a house and lot on the north side of Duke street, between Patrick and Henry.

Mr. Clarence Sampson has sold to Dr. G. T. Klipstein a house and lot on Wolfe street, between Patrick and Henry.

Mr. Anthony E. Smartt has purchased from Mr. Thomas L. R. Shell the three-story brick residence on the west side of Pitt street, between Prince and Duke. Mr. Smartt will shortly occupy the same.

BALL LAST NIGHT.

As has been anticipated, the ball given last night by the members of the Relief Hook and Ladder Company at McBurney's Hall was an enjoyable affair throughout. There was a large attendance. Mr. William J. Cleveland was floor manager and the music was furnished by Padgett's orchestra.

Arrangements have been completed by the Alexandria German Club for its annual Easter dance, which is to be given tonight at McBurney's Hall. This dance will be the last of a series given during the season. The club promises to be well attended. The club, it is understood, will be tendered a return dance by a number of ladies of the city on April 15th. This will be a mask ball.

"They come high." "The best are the cheapest." Our people want them and as we say to the ladies you can see J. & T. Coulson's Exclusive Styles at 422 King street, J. A. Marshall & Bro.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

March went out like a lamb. Workmen are engaged in preparing upper King street for the proposed improvement from the city limits to the Union passenger station.

The catch of fish is increasing, the present mild weather having brought shad and herring far up the river. Prices are weakening somewhat.

The city hall steeple is now in the hands of the painters and its appearance has already been greatly improved. The balls have already been regilded.

Two candidates were initiated at the meeting last night of Alexandria Ounces, Junior Order of Americans. Six applications for membership were received.

Mrs. D. W. Prettyman, received a message yesterday stating that her cousin, Mrs. Wm. McNeal, daughter of the late Robt. Buchanan, died Wednesday night at East Bedford, Va.

A colored man who was suffering from smallpox walked into the station house last night. He was made to return to his home and the health officer was notified.

Gordon Booth and William Padgett, who left this city on Wednesday evening and concerning whose whereabouts there was some concern yesterday, returned to their homes last night stating that there had been nothing unusual about their absence.

The funeral of the late L. D. Oliver who died in Alexandria county on Wednesday morning, took place this morning from St. Mary's Church, Rev. Father Kelly conducted the services. The interment was in St. Paul's cemetery.

The Washington district school board of Alexandria county has awarded the contract for the erection of a public school building at Dominion Heights, near Oberlydale, to A. J. Simpson, of Round Hill.

The officers and members of the Kellance Steam Fire Engine Company, No. 5, extend their thanks to the ladies who had charge of the mask ball held on Tuesday evening, and also those persons who contributed and helped to make the same a success.

The alarm of fire about noon today was caused by the discovery of a blaze on the east side of the frame house occupied by Mr. Fred Dilsoson, on the south side of Cameron street, between Pitt and St. Asaph. The fire was extinguished before any serious damage resulted. It was caused by an ash barrel which caught fire.

To particular people, the quality in an article is always considered before the price. Other things may be a little cheaper than ours, but when it comes down to the good old "eating" qualities you'll find that "our" hams can't be beat. Just come to the Arch Stand or the South Market tomorrow and buy the most delicious ham in town at only 20 cents a pound. If you don't want a whole one, ask us to cut one for you. We are always willing. "A word to the wise is sufficient," as Mark Twain said. Sylvia Bondhead, the Arch Stand and the Arch Market.

GREEN MOUNTAIN POTATOES, the finest that grow for eating, 65c; best Elgin Creamery Butter, in pound prints, 34c; Fresh Eggs, 25c per dozen; Fancy Lady Rice, 50c per pound; 3 pounds best Evaporated Peaches, 25c; 3 lbs. best Large Prunes, 25c; Fancy New York State Evaporated Apples, 10c; 3 cans Pink Alaska Salmon, 25c; 3 cans best Fish Roe, 25c; 7 lbs. Best Laundry Soap, 25c; 7 cases Star Soap, 25c; 7 cases Circus Soap, 25c; large bottle Mammoth Queen Olives, regular price 35c, our price 20c. WM. F. WOLLS & Son, Royal and Wolfe streets.

Eight Persons Burned to Death.

Dry Pong, Ia., April 1.—Mrs. Matile Ivy and seven men were burned to death while fighting a forest fire that destroyed several lumber camps and barbed wire over a large territory, according to information reaching here today from camps which escaped the blaze. The fire started Wednesday and an attempt was made to save the home of Mrs. Ivy by the seven lumbermen. The house was surrounded by a thick and this taking fire, hemmed in the party and all were burned to death.

P. C. Knox, Jr.

Detroit, Mich., April 1.—Regardless of what Philander C. Knox, Jr., may do regarding his father's opposition to his recent runaway marriage, the automobile concern for which is working here will try to keep him as a salesman. D. W. Flint, head of the Providence, R. I., firm by which young Knox is employed, brought the young man and his bride here to see the factory and declares that Knox is "an important addition to our business."

Knox and his wife are staying at the Pouchatrain. He refuses to discuss his plans or the report from Providence that Secretary Knox has commanded his son to return to the parental roof and bring his bride if he desires to come.

No Cessation of Work.

Lexington, Ky., April 1.—E. M. Doyle, representing the Yellow Jacket Coal Company, which comprises eight of the largest mines in eastern Kentucky, said today there would be no cessation of work in his mines, as all are non-union. The same conditions exist in other eastern Kentucky mines which employ about 10,000 men. Western Kentucky mines, however, have mostly been unionized. These employ about 9,000 men and many of them are on in obedience to the shut down order.

The Springfield Murder.

Springfield, Mass., April 1.—Although four suspects are held on suspicion of having killed the wife of the murder last night of Miss Martha B. Blackstone, aged 30, and the serious wounding of Miss Harriet Dow, aged 25, at the Dow home on Round Hill, it is believed by no means certain that the guilty man is included.

Chance over the list of High Grade Shoes sold exclusively by us: J. & T. Coulson, Queen Quality, Red Cross, Linder Shoe Co., N. H. & S. Co. (The H. & S.), Taylor & Co. (Taylor Made), Brocton Co. Operative Co., Walk Over, Regal, Excelsior Shoe Co. and many others. J. A. Marshall & Bro. 422 King street.

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Every family especially those who reside in the country should be provided at all times with a bottle of Chamberlain's Liniment. There is no telling when it may be wanted in case of an accident or emergency. It is most excellent in all cases of rheumatism, sprains, and bruises. Sold by W. F. Orlington & Co. and Richard G. Gibson.

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## ANNOUNCEMENT

The Opera House will reopen Monday evening, April 4th, under entirely new management with the most advanced and up to date vaudeville. Talent from the Keith & Proctor and Hammerstein circuit has been booked and the newest and latest moving pictures will be shown. Only the cleanest and best in the amusement lines will be offered.

Positively nothing will be permitted on the stage or in any part of the house to which the most refined lady could take exception.

## FINANCIAL.

[No. 7093.]

## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE ALEXANDRIA NATIONAL BANK

AT ALEXANDRIA, VA.,  
At the close of business March 29, 1910.

## RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts..... \$158,420 95  
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured..... 2,326 20  
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation..... 100,000 00  
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits, 4 per cent..... 1,000 00  
U. S. Bonds on hand..... 15,000 00  
Premiums on U. S. Bonds..... 7,830 00  
Bonds, securities, etc..... 50,927 88  
Real Estate owned..... 11,610 00  
Due from National Banks..... 12,808 92  
Due from State and Private Banks and bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks..... 1,181 43  
Due from approved reserve agents..... 35,922 17  
Checks and other cash items..... 2,457 83  
Exchange for clearing houses..... 3,457 83  
Notes of other National Banks..... 980 00  
Fractional paper currency, tickets and cents..... 105 70  
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ: Special..... 20,255 35  
Legal-tender notes..... 3,865 00  
Redemption fund with U. S. (5 per cent of circulation)..... 24,090 35  
Total..... \$736,129 27

## LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in..... \$100,000 00  
Surplus fund..... 20,000 00  
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid..... 12,651 13  
Due to other National Banks..... 4,884 85  
Individuals unpaid..... 76 00  
Dividend deposits subject to checks..... 442,569 14  
Demand certificates of deposit..... 14,472 51  
Certified checks..... 243 25  
Cashier's checks outstanding..... 732 38  
Bills payable, including Certificates of Deposit for money borrowed..... 1,000 00  
Total..... \$36,129 27

State of Virginia, City of Alexandria, ss: I, T. C. Smith, Cashier of the above bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

T. C. SMITH, Cashier.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April, 1910.

JOHN D. NORMOYLE, Notary Public.  
My commission expires September 22, 1913.

Correct—Attest:  
C. E. NICOL,  
W. R. BARN,  
W. A. SMOOT,  
J. A. MARSHALL,  
W. A. SMOOT, JR.,  
GEO. V. PETERSON,  
ROBINSON MOORE,

Directors.

## Another \$1,500

## "Mendels-Make"

## Women's

## Waists

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55c and 95c

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## STATEMENT

## Citizens' National Bank

of Alexandria, Va., January 31, 1910.

## OFFICERS:

President, Edward L. Daingerfield; Vice-President, Carroll Pierce,  
Richard M. Green, Cashier. E. E. Payne, Asst. Cashier

## DIRECTORS:

J. C. Smoot, Edward L. Daingerfield, Jas. W. Roberts  
Worth Hulfish, Urban S. Lambart  
M. A. Ahern, Carroll Pierce

RESOURCES: \$687,951.44  
Loans..... \$687,951.44  
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation..... 100,000.00  
Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits..... 1,000.00  
Other Bonds and Stocks..... 49,986.56  
Banking House & Real Estate..... 52,856.97  
Cash..... 46,441.96  
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents..... 99,132.71  
Total..... \$1,037,369.64

LIABILITIES: \$1,037,369.64  
Capital..... \$100,000.00  
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